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MADISON MAN SENTENCED FOR LOAN FRAUD

Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Arthur Vance, DOB 12/25/1961, of Madison, Wisconsin, was sentenced today by U.S. District Court Judge John C. Shabaz to 15 months in prison, to be followed by a three-year period of supervised release, and the entry of a restitution order in the amount of \$38,166.75.

In September 1999, Vance made false statements in an application for a loan from the Dane County Credit Union, a State-chartered credit union, the accounts of which were insured by the National Credit Union Administration. To secure the loan, Vance provided a Social Security number and date of birth which were not his.

The charges against Arthur Vance were the result of an investigation conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Robert A. Anderson.

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